

April 24, 2002

Marlene R. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Notice of Ex Parte Meetings in WT Docket No. 99-217

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This letter is to provide notice in the above-captioned docketed proceeding of an *ex parte* meeting on April 24, 2002, by representatives of the Smart Buildings Policy Project (SBPP) with the FCC. Participating on behalf of the SBPP were the following: Jonathan Askin and John Windhausen, Jr. of the Association for Local Telecommunications Services, Tom Cohen of The KDW Group, Kelsi Reeves of Time Warner Telecom, Karen Johnson of WorldCom, Teri Natoli of Teligent, Kate Novinskie of CompTel, Frank Simone of AT&T, Joe Sandri of WinStar, and Jonathan Radin of OnFiber. Participating on behalf of the FCC were the following: Leon Jackler, Jeff Steinberg, and Paul Garnett.

During the meetings, the parties discussed the FCC's Competitive Networks proceeding and, in particular, the need for additional FCC action to ensure nondiscriminatory competitive carrier access to multi-tenant environments. The SBPP's arguments are detailed in comments submitted in the above-referenced docket. The attached document, summarizing the positions of the SBPP, was distributed to the FCC representatives.

Please include this notice of *ex parte* contact for inclusion in the public record of the above-referenced proceedings. If you have any questions about this matter, please contact me at 202-969-2587.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

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